Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraphs under <u>ABSTRACT OF THE INVENTION</u> on page 143 with the following amended paragraph.

--There is a need to print a large number of color chips for measurement of their hue, saturation, etc. Such colorimetry involves time-consuming work to create the tone correcting table.

A The client has a colorimetry image print control means U11 to control the controls printing of color chips (images for colorimetry) with a plurality of tones for individual color inks (printing colorants). and a color matching information acquisition means to acquire The client acquires from the a server the a tone value correction table (color matching information) to match standard colors. The server can acquire acquires the lightness data of color chips for individual inks and create the creates a tone value correction table based on the lightness data of color chips of individual color inks and the lightness data of standard colors corresponding to the color inks, and subsequently send the color matching information to the client. As a result, it is easier to produce colors that match standard colors outputs it to the client. It is possible to alleviate work to match the color reproduced with a plurality of color inks with the standard color and it is possible to easily acquire the tone value correction table for reproduction of standard colors.

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